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I went to see Allen Dulles at CIA this morning.

On my way out I had a short chat with Lyman Kirkpatrick. He is still badly crippled by his infantile paralysis attack, but is mentally in even better tone than ever.

I visited Herbert Elliston at Georgetown University Hospital. He is only slightly incapacitated by his last stroke and I detected no change in the quality of the little gray cells.

Washington is beautiful today -- sunny with the temperature in the sixties. I have sprayed my room and clothes closets against moths, the only constructive or physical effort I performed this afternoon.

E. has had a procession of friends calling to see her, and I was home in time to talk to lovely Joey Elliston.

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